



## John Dewey VanBrunt

March 5, 1942 - April 4, 2013

John Dewey VanBrunt, 71, of Delaney, Arkansas, died April 4, 2013 at his home. He was born March 5, 1942 at Delaney, Arkansas, the son of Calvin and Ruby Garrison VanBrunt. He loved his "Fanny" more than life itself and he and Lorena were devoted members of Crystal Hills Family Fellowship Church in Elkins. Johnny loved playing music with friends and enjoyed camping, hunting and fishing. His greatest joy in life was just spending time with his family and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Lyndell VanBrunt. Survivors include: his wife of fifty-two years, Lorena Hawkins VanBrunt of the home; one son, Jamie VanBrunt of the home; one daughter and son-in-law, Sheila and Ron Beyard of Delaney, Arkansas; four brothers, Bill VanBrunt of Crosses, Arkansas, Jack VanBrunt, Roy VanBrunt and Bob VanBrunt of Elkins, Arkansas; six sisters, Dorothy Williams and Shirley Wood, both of Delaney, Arkansas, Verna Williams of Arizona, Joyce McCoy and Betty Sisco, both of Elkins, Arkansas and Carolyn Gruender of Fayetteville, Arkansas; three grandsons, Kevin Rakes and Wendy and Kendale Rakes and wife Maddie, all of Delaney, Arkansas and Hunter VanBrunt of West Fork, Arkansas. Funeral Services will be held at 3:30 P. M. Saturday, April 6, at the Crystal Hills Family Fellowship Church in Elkins with The Reverend Jasper Hankins officiating. Interment will be in the Walnut Grove Cemetery at Crosses under the direction of Brashears Funeral Home [www.brashearsfuneralhome.net](http://www.brashearsfuneralhome.net) of Huntsville, Arkansas. Pallbearers will be: Travis Williams, Donnie McCoy, Loy VanBrunt, Darrell VanBrunt, Gary Williams and

Evan Walden. Honorary pallbearers will be: Kevin Rakes, Kendale Rakes, Hunter VanBrunt, Chris Hawkins, Sam Couch, Joe McCoy, Coby Couch and Ron Beyard. The family will receive friends from 6:00 P. M. to 8:00 P. M. on Friday at the funeral home.

# Tribute Wall

BL

“ *My thoughts are with the family and friends of John. In Psalms 147:3 God is healing the brokenhearted ones and binding up their painful spots.*

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**Barb Layton** - April 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ *OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU DURING THIS TIME.*

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**LESHA COUCH** - April 08, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ *So sorry to hear of Johnny's death. Our sympathy to the whole family. Gary (Woody) and Debbie Wood*

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**Gary & Debbie Wood** - April 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ *Karla and I extend our deepest sympathy to all of the family on the loss of Johnny. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.*

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**Gerald Van Brunt** - April 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ *my thoughts and prayers with you'll thru your sorrow*

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**richard ward** - April 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM